

# Clinical evaluation of the Articulinx device for the carpometacarpal joint.

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<b>Ethical review</b>	Approved WMO
<b>Status</b>	Recruitment stopped
<b>Health condition type</b>	Joint disorders
<b>Study type</b>	Interventional

## Summary

### ID

NL-OMON38020

### Source

ToetsingOnline

### Brief title

Articulinx CMC study

## Condition

- Joint disorders

### Synonym

Rizarthrosis, thumb arthritis

### Research involving

Human

## Sponsors and support

**Primary sponsor:** Articulinx Inc.

**Source(s) of monetary or material Support:** Articulinx

## Intervention

**Keyword:** Arthroplasty, Articulinx, CMC, Interpositional

## Outcome measures

### Primary outcome

Incidence of device- and procedure-related adverse events intra-operatively, and through two years follow-up.

Average CMC-I joint pain score post-procedure compared to pre-operative baseline through two years follow-up.

### Secondary outcome

Change in pain medication use for CMC-I joint as compared to baseline.

Change in CMC-I joint function post-procedure as compared to baseline.

Change in DASH scores as compared to baseline

## Study description

### Background summary

A clinical need exists for an early treatment of osteoarthritis of the hand that mitigates pain and restores biomechanics without drug or radical surgery. Articulinx Inc. has developed an alternative treatment for osteoarthritis of the hand. The device is designed to be inserted into the CMC-I joint of the hand, restoring the space between the joint surfaces without disrupting joint architecture or removing supporting bone or soft tissues. A simple minimally invasive procedure is required to insert the implant. The Articulinx device is designed to be implanted earlier in the disease process, allowing a more active lifestyle and potentially reducing or eliminating the need for long term use of prescription medications.

### Study objective

To confirm the safety of the Articulinx ICC by evaluating device- and procedure related adverse events.

### Study design

Prospective, non-randomized, non controlled study.

## Intervention

Minimally invasive surgical procedure.

## Study burden and risks

Not applicable

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## Trial sites

### Listed location countries

Netherlands

## Eligibility criteria

### Age

Adults (18-64 years)

Elderly (65 years and older)

### Inclusion criteria

Adults 35 -75 years old with osteoarthritis of the carpometacarpal (CMC-I) joint. VAS-painscore > 40 at baseline. Subluxation less than 1/3. Patients capable of providing informed

consent.

## Exclusion criteria

Significant and affecting pathology of the radial side of the hand and wrist.

Significant osteophytes (> 2 mm) and free floating bodies in CMC-I joint

Rheumatoid and/or Metabolic disorders of the bone.

Prior surgery.

Participating in another study.

Pregnancy and lactation.

## Study design

### Design

**Study type:** Interventional

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: Uncontrolled

Primary purpose: Treatment

### Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Recruitment stopped

Start date (anticipated): 27-04-2011

Enrollment: 30

Type: Actual

### Medical products/devices used

Generic name: Articulinx Device for the CMC-I joint

Registration: No

## Ethics review

Approved WMO

Date: 18-04-2011

Application type:	First submission
Review commission:	METC Amsterdam UMC
Approved WMO	
Date:	05-12-2011
Application type:	Amendment
Review commission:	METC Amsterdam UMC
Approved WMO	
Date:	21-02-2012
Application type:	Amendment
Review commission:	METC Amsterdam UMC

## Study registrations

### Followed up by the following (possibly more current) registration

No registrations found.

### Other (possibly less up-to-date) registrations in this register

No registrations found.

### In other registers

Register	ID
CCMO	NL35822.029.11